GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES
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GENERATON OF POWER FROM WASTE AND WIND IN ORISSA
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Will the Minister of NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of power projects established in Orissa with the help of Union Government for generation of power from waste and wind;

(b) the quantum of energy generated by these power projects;

(c) whether the State Government have sent some more proposals for generation of power from waste and wind in the State;

(d) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and

(e) the assistance given by the Union Government to the State for generation of power from waste and wind during the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (SHRI M. KANNAPPAN)

(a): One demonstration project of 1.1 MW capacity for generation of power from wind was established at Puri, Orissa in two phases with the help of Union Government during the years 1986 and 1987. No project for generation of power from waste has been established in Orissa with the help of Union Government.

(b): This project generated a total of about 11 lakh units of electricity before it was disposed of during 1997 due to poor and unstable grid quality and massive corrosion of the equipment.

(c) & (d): No proposal has been received in this Ministry from the State of Orissa for generation of power from waste and wind.

(e): As no proposals were received, financial assistance was not provided to the State of Orissa for generation of power from waste and wind during the last three years.